



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2627**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Nobuhiro Sato, et al.
Appln. No. : 10/634,241
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**AMENDMENT "B"
AFTER FINAL UNDER RULE 1.116**

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Final Office Action dated September 6, 2006 (Paper No. 20060424). The three-month period for responding to the Office Action expires on December 6, 2006.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.

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